GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2632
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CLEARANCE TO ROAD PROJECTS IN MAHARASHTRA
ANANT GANGARAM GEETE;MOHAN RAWALE

Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of proposals received from Government of Maharashtra for getting the environment clearance for various road projects during the last three years;

(b) the numbers out of them cleared; and

(c) the time by which the remaining proposals are likely to be cleared?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS

(SHRI BABU LAL MARANDI)

(a),(b)&(c) Six proposals for various road projects were received from Government of Maharashtra for environmental clearance during the last three years. Out of these, one project was accorded environmental clearance. The files relating to the remaining projects were closed due to incomplete information. After receipt of further information/clarifications, the file in respect of one of the projects has been reopened in January, 2000 for further processing. Decision on the proposals is taken within 90 days from the date of receipt of complete information.